Docket No. 246424US8

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Thomas NILSSON, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/728,986 GAU: 1616

FILED: December 8, 2003 EXAMINER: ALSTRUM ACEVEDO

FOR: A MEDICAL PRODUCT

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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It is	s hereby requested that a THREE MONTH extension of time be granted to MARCH 26, 2008 for		
	filing a response to the Official Action dated:		
	responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:		
	filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.		
	responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:		
	filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection has not been filed.		
	filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:		
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.		
	e required fee of \$1,050.00 is being made by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the orney of Record's Deposit Account No. $\underline{15-0030}$.		

Respectfully Submitted,

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